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## KORETZ, KING OF SWINDLERS, IS ARRESTED

### Found Living in Nova Scotia on High Scale as "Retired Business Man"

(By The Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 24.—Leo Koretz, "the King of Swindlers," and peer of all confidence men, will be returned here, the latter part of this week or soon thereafter to explain the mystery of his disappearance with millions of dollars of prominent Chicagoans and others who had given him funds to invest in a mythical Bayana River Syndicate in Panama, which he claimed to be a \$1,000,000 corporation. This announcement was made through State Attorney Robert E. Crowe's office.  
Last night he received word of the arrest of Koretz at Halifax, Nova Scotia, on charges filed here of using the mails to defraud.  
Koretz, with \$2,000,000 in cash in a hand bag disappeared eleven months ago, leaving his wife and family and other relatives and many friends with nothing more tangible than worthless receipts or certificate in his Bayana corporation which was identified after he left here as the "Bayana Bubble." Koretz, in Halifax, had assumed the pose and popularity which made him a favorite here, and with which he cultivated many of his clients. Arriving at Brookfield, a suburb of Halifax, he purchased a home for \$18,000 and improved it to a value of \$85,000, and named it "Pinhurst."  
"A Retired Business Man"  
"I'm a retired business man," he told his new friends who knew him as Lou Keyte. He took an interest in civic affairs and spent money lavishly. His suavity and generosity brought many friends, to whom he explained that he was in poor health and had been advised to move to Nova Scotia.  
Mrs. Koretz for the past few months has worked here in an envelope addressing firm, as a coat sales lady and other employment, continually expressing belief that her husband was not guilty of any intentional wrongdoing.  
At the time of Koretz's disappearance, when friends were insisting on (Continued on Page Two)

## Minister Extols Virtues of Mrs. Florence Harding; Dignified Honor at Burial

(By The Associated Press.)  
MARION, Ohio, Nov. 24.—The Ohio city which has known the heights of joy and sorrow since 1920 enacted today the last scene in the life of Mrs. Warren G. Harding, widow of the late president.  
Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon, Mrs. Harding's body was borne over the same route as that traversed by the funeral cortege of the twenty-ninth president of the United States to Marion cemetery and laid to rest.  
At 1:30 the body was taken from the home of Mrs. F. J. Longshore, a niece, to Epworth M. E. Church where the Rev. Jesse Swank, Mrs. Harding's pastor and old friend of the Harding family, had charge of brief services.  
The Rev. Swank read portions of the scripture, after which the Rev. George W. Landes, pastor of Trinity Baptist church, of which Mr. Harding was a member, offered a short prayer. Services at the church were started by the Columbus Ohio Republican Glee club singing "The End of a Perfect Day," a favorite of the former first lady of the land.  
After the Rev. Landes' prayer, Dr. Swank delivered the funeral sermon and the cortege then moved to the cemetery where the regular committal service was read by Mr. Swank, with the benediction being pronounced by the Rev. Landes.  
Simple, but dignified honors marked the services. The guard of 22 soldiers who have been on duty at the Harding tomb since the death of the president, acted as an escort to the body and they were augmented by 100 men and officers ordered here from Fort Hayes.  
Secretary of the Interior Hubert Work and Secretary Weeks, designated by President Coolidge as representatives of the government at the funeral, arrived this morning. Captain Adolphus Andrews, the chief executive naval aide and his personal representative here, has been in Marion for the last few days.  
All business in Marion was suspended at 12:30 o'clock for the afternoon and the city was garbed in deep mourning.

## IN FURNACE



Mrs. Addison Sheatsley  
HER HUSBAND



The charred body of Mrs. Addison Sheatsley, 50, wife of Rev. C. V. Sheatsley, was found in the furnace of her home in Bexley, Ohio, suburb of Columbus.

## Bit of Human Tissue Found in Parsonage

(By The Associated Press.)  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 24.—A bit of tissue that may have been scrapped from the body of a human and dark stains which may be blood spots, were found in the parsonage of Christ Evangelical Lutheran church in Bexley today by County Prosecutor John R. King and assistants who are seeking to solve the mysterious death of Mrs. Addie Sheatsley, 50, whose body, practically cremated, was found in the furnace of the house a week ago by her husband, the Rev. C. V. Sheatsley.  
Authorities who today were making a minute examination of the interior of the dwelling, also discovered a number of finger marks. This afternoon ex-

## EGYPT PAYS UP INDEMNITY FOR STACK'S DEATH

### Turns Over Half-Million Pounds but Protests Evacuation of Sudan Demand

(By The Associated Press.)  
CAIRO, Egypt, Nov. 24.—The Egyptian cabinet headed by Zagloul Pasha tendered its resignation today to King Fuad, who accepted it.  
CAIRO, Egypt, Nov. 24.—Lord Allenby, the British High Commissioner, at noon today informed the Egyptian Premier Zagloul Pasha, that instructions had been given for British forces to occupy the Alexandria customs. This he said, was the first measure to be taken in consequence of Egypt's non-acceptance of all the British demands following the assassination of Sir Lee Stack, the Sudan.  
The indemnity of 500,000 pounds demanded by the British for the death of the Sudan was paid by the Egyptian government at 11:45 o'clock this morning.  
The payment was accompanied by a note protesting against the British demands for evacuation of the Sudan by Egyptian troops and for the withdrawal of all opposition to the wishes of the British government concerning the protection of foreign interests in Egypt, which demands the note characterized as unjustifiable.  
Cairo today was a generally peaceful if somewhat excited aspect. There (Continued on Page Two)

## COMMISSIONER NABORS HERE

### State Rail Officials Are Pleased With Progress of Valley

"The phenomenal development of the Lower Rio Grande Valley warrants the additional service that the Gulf Coast Lines is inaugurating, and the standardization and improvement of the Rio Grande railway," said Railroad Commissioner W. A. Nabors, who arrived in Brownsville yesterday along with Walter G. Geron, traveling inspector for the state railroad commission.  
Mr. Nabors and Mr. Geron will remain in the Valley for several days, making a complete inspection of the facilities and service of both the Gulf Coast Lines and the Rio Grande railways.  
"The loyalty that Valley people have shown in the interest of their railroads, and the courage in overcoming obstacles entitled them to everything they have received and would assure them ultimate good returns on their investment," Mr. Nabors said.  
Mr. Geron made a trip to Point Isabel yesterday over the Rio Grande railway.  
"The dream of D. A. O'Brien, president of the road, and the desire of citizens of Brownsville and the rest of the Valley has materialized," he said, "for there is a real railroad between Brownsville and Point Isabel." Mr. Geron brought back with him some of the original spikes driven in the road in 1872 when it was constructed. The spikes have rusted to a size little larger than nails.  
The two railroad officials expressed themselves as being pleased with the spirit of progress being shown in Brownsville and other points of the Valley, mentioning the development going all over the section.

## MAN IS KILLED IN MATAMOROS

### Rodolfo Davila Dead and Brother Wounded in Altercation

Rodolfo Davila, of Brownsville, is dead, and his brother Raul Davila, is wounded as the result of an altercation in Matamoros last night.  
According to the report of Matamoros police the two brothers and some other men were engaged in a disturbance when officers interfered. The police claim that Raul Davila, who is a career man, shot at them, as they approached, and was wounded by a policeman who returned the fire. Raul ran and escaped, they said.  
Rodolfo Davila and four other men were placed on a street car and one policeman accompanied them on the way to the city jail. The officer declared that Rodolfo Davila attempted to make his escape, and was shot and killed by the police officer who jumped off the street car after Rodolfo had left the vehicle. The other four men escaped.  
Raul Davila has not yet been found, police reported this morning. The shooting took place near the Buckhorn saloon, at 8:30 last night.

## BAPTIST HOSPITAL GET ABOUT \$8,000

The Baptist hospital at Harlingen will receive about \$8000 or \$9000 from the next year's funds of the Baptist General Convention, according to S. C. Tucker of Brownsville, member of the general board, who has returned from Dallas where he attended the convention last week.  
"The appropriations will not be made until the meeting of the board, to arrange them, which will be held in Dallas beginning December 15," Mr. Tucker said. "However, the Harlingen hospital is certain to benefit in a sum between \$8000 and \$9000."  
Mr. Tucker said he will not attend the board meeting at that time. He said that Carroll College, McAllen, did not come up during the convention, although that institution may be considered when the board meets.  
Mr. Tucker reports North Texas as very dry, little or no rain having fallen in recent weeks.

## SCHOOL CODE TO BE REVISED

### Revision Necessary If Recommendations of Survey Adopted

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 24.—A complete new school code for Texas may be necessary to put into effect recommendations of the State Educational Survey, the survey commission announced today in transmitting its final report to Governor Neff.  
The commission met in Gov. Neff's office this morning and drafted its final report. Its general recommendations follow those which are now being released for publication by the survey staff. The suggested changes should be effected gradually, the report said.  
One of the principal proposals of the commission is a committee to study the findings of the survey and give these the widest publicity.  
Unless members of the legislature study the report and the people are told what the survey has discovered about the educational system of Texas, the commission's work will be "largely barren of results," the report said.  
The members of the commission were not all agreed on every one of the recommendations, but the report states that any one of the major proposals is worth many times more than the survey cost.  
The commission will have spent practically the entire appropriation of \$50,000 when the report is printed. The legislature was asked for \$100,000.  
The commission directed special criticism at the financial condition which makes it necessary for teachers to discontinue their salary warrants, and recommends that the legislature establish a reserve to prevent this.  
The work of Dr. George A. Works of Cornell University, director of the survey, is commended.

## JUDGE OUTLINES REAL MARRIAGE

### Handling of 10,000 Di- vorce Cases is Basis of Advice

(By The Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 24.—Ten thousand divorce cases which he has disposed of within the last four years were the basis of advice on successful marriage in an address by Judge Joseph Sabath of the superior court, Chicago, before the University of Michigan alumni club of Chicago today.  
The terms of divorce, he said, start in the hearts of the couple long before their wedding day. This was Judge Sabath's advice:  
"To the husband I would say:  
"Make your wife a real partner."  
"Discuss your business problems with her."  
"Have children or adopt some."  
"Supply your wife with sufficient funds to maintain the household."  
"Work together, play together, and grow up together, and share responsibilities and pleasure alike."  
"To the wife:  
"Do not allow yourself to be treated as a dependent little thing."  
"Be not afraid to soil your hands."  
"Be not afraid of the really big thing in life, Motherhood."  
"Make your husband assume the responsibility of your home life in cooperation with you and beyond financing it."  
"Do not make fun and tease your husband by idle flirtations, for you do not realize that you are setting a fire that may eventually destroy you."  
"More than anything else, your husband wants to be the one man in your life. He wants your undivided affections. Show him that he has it."  
"To both I would say avoid heated quarrels. Do not cover little differences until they accumulate. Speak out frankly to each other and stick to it until you reach an agreement."

## GOVERNORS TO INSPECT PARKS

### Texas and Oklahoma Executives Will Ar- rive Here Dec. 10

Governor Pat M. Neff, of Texas, Governor M. E. Trapp of Oklahoma, Captain Fry, state parks landscape architect, and D. E. Gelp, president of the state parks board, will all be in the Valley December 10. The Valley Fair, and to inspect the Barreda state park site, a communication received today at the local Board of City Development says.  
In his letter Mr. Gelp suggested that the Barreda park be put in shape for the official visit, and that the deed be ready for delivery to the governor on his arrival here.  
O. L. Williams, secretary-manager of the Brownsville Board of City Development, and state park commissioner for this county, said today that all efforts will be made to have the park fenced by that time. It will require 300 feet of hog wire to keep out goats, armadillos and hogs, and 200 feet of barbed wire to keep out cattle and other stock. This work will cost about \$400, Mr. Williams said.  
Present plans are to have the park cleared and put in shape for beautification by the group of prisoners being worked on park sites in the state under the direction of a state ranger. The Women's Reformatory of the Valley will have charge of the beautification of the park.

## LARGE BADGER RUN OVER ON HIGHWAY

A huge badger, that would have been wild and ferocious but for the fact that he was dead, was brought into Brownsville this morning by Kenneth Slater, who picked the animal up on the concrete highway a short distance beyond the tourist park.  
Someone had evidently run over the animal, as it had no bullet wounds in its body. The badger, a scarce animal in the Valley, was a good specimen, being unusually large, with long claws and a thick grey coat of fur, with black and white markings about the head. His body attracted much attention on the streets of Brownsville.

## CAR OVERTURNS; ONE MAN BADLY BRUISED

Rafael Garza was cut about the face and badly although not seriously bruised when a car in which he was driving late Saturday night overturned on the military road a short distance beyond the railroad crossing near West Brownsville. All of the four other occupants of the car were slightly bruised.  
Garza had just received a message late Saturday that a relative in Villanueva was critically ill. He started out for that place, and in going over the railroad crossing could not make the sharp turn, the car overturning in a ditch that was partly filled with water. Some difficulty was experienced in extricating the occupants of the car from the water, in which they were pinned by the overturning motor. The car was badly damaged.

## WOMAN DIES FROM UNKNOWN CAUSES

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 24.—Mrs. S. Virginia Bernhart, thought to have formerly lived in Chicago, died at a local hospital last night from causes which had not been determined early today.  
The woman was found in a semi-conscious condition on a sidewalk in the residence section and mumbled the name of a sister with whom she said she lived.  
Edward Seeger, manager of the Houston Packing Company, identified the woman as his mother-in-law. He declared she had gone to the theater at 8 p. m.  
While physicians first thought death had been due to cerebral hemorrhage, it was later decided to perform an autopsy. There were no bruises or dislocations on the body.

## THE WEATHER

Brownsville and vicinity: Fair and colder tonight, possibly light frost in exposed places in interior; Tuesday fair and continued cold.  
East Texas: Fair tonight; colder except in northwest portion; freezing in north portion and frost to the coast. Tuesday fair; not so cold in northwest portion. Light to moderate northerly winds on the coast.  
Weather Conditions  
A moderately strong high pressure area over the Rocky Mountain and southern Plains states is attended by fair weather and temperatures considerably below the seasonal average practically throughout the western two-thirds of the United States. Cloudy and unsettled weather prevailed over the eastern one-third of the country at the morning observation, with scattered rains or showers during the last 24 hours in the region. Freezing temperatures were reported from Oklahoma and heavy frost from Taylor, Texas. Gas stations reported that night at 10:53 at Brownsville, from 26 at

## BANDITS CUT MEXICO LINE

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 24.—Railway and telegraph communication between Mexico City and Juarez is interrupted in consequence of the capture and wrecking of a freight train at Conchos station, between Torreon and Chihuahua last Friday, by outlaws under the leadership of Emilio Espino, a former follower of the late Pancho Villa.  
The locomotive was thrown into a ravine, several of the cars were burned and two cars sent running wild down the track.  
Troops have been dispatched in the pursuit of the outlaws.

## FRENCH LOAN IS OVER-SUBSCRIBED

(By The Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 24.—Substantial oversubscription to the \$100,000,000 French loan, offered today through a nationwide syndicate headed by J. P. Morgan and Company, was announced when the books were closed forty-five minutes after the opening.

## WALTER JOHNSON CLUB DEAL FAILS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 24.—The news that Walter Johnson's negotiations for purchase of the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League had fallen through raised hope among Washington baseball fans that the veteran star would pitch again for the Senators, although they regretted for his sake that his plans had gone awry.  
President Griffith of the Washington Senators recalled that his understanding with Johnson was that "if the pitcher could obtain control of a Pacific Coast club, he would not stand in the way, but otherwise we will have to come back and pitch for us."

## Bank Robbed as Town Folk Watch Airplane

LOVING, Texas, Nov. 24.—Four men robbed the Loving state bank here at 10:30 o'clock this morning. While an airplane was doing stunts over this little Jack county town, attracting the attention of the citizens, the robbers entered the bank with drawn guns, took all the money in sight, and departed in an automobile. The airplane disappeared in a southerly direction, apparently following the course taken by the robbers.

## SHIPPERS WARNED BY WEATHER MAN

(By The Associated Press.)  
DALLAS, Tex., Nov. 24.—The Dallas weather bureau today issued the following cold weather warning to shippers:  
"Protect shipments during the next 24 to 36 hours from temperatures as follows: North and West Texas 24 to 30 degrees, with temperature nearly freezing to Houston and San Antonio. Killing frosts and light freeze was forecast for Dallas and vicinity tonight.  
The temperature at 7 o'clock this morning ranged to 26 degrees above zero at Abilene, 39 at Amarillo, 42 at Brownsville and Galveston."